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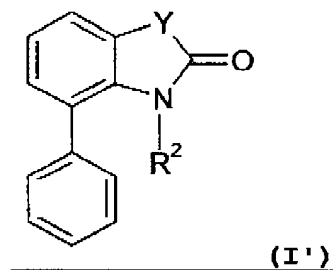
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Amendments to the Claims

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

1-9. (Canceled)

10. (Currently Amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of formula (I'),



wherein Y and R² are as defined in claim 11

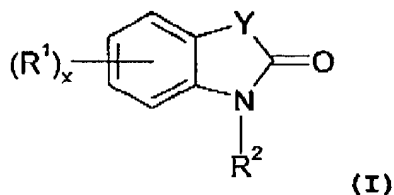
or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt or solvate thereof, ~~as defined in claim 8 for the use in treatment of mycobacterial tuberculosis,~~ in association with a pharmaceutically-acceptable adjuvant, diluent or carrier.

11. (Currently Amended) A method of treating a patient suffering from, or at risk of, mycobacterial tuberculosis ~~a mycobacterial disease,~~ which comprises administering to the patient a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of formula (I), or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt or solvate thereof, ~~as defined in any one of claims 1 to 7.~~

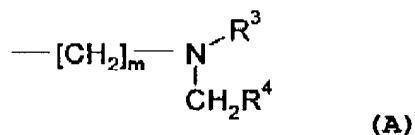
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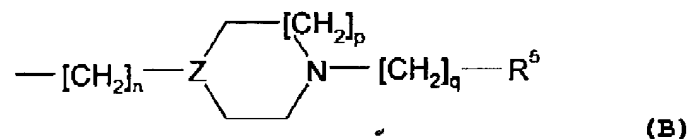
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wherein x represents 0 or 1, R^1 represents a 3- to 7-membered (hetero)cycloalkyl group or a phenyl group, Y represents a group CH_2 or $>C=O$, and R^2 represents either a C_1 - C_{12} alkyl group optionally substituted by one or more halogen atoms, a group



wherein m represents an integer from 3 to 7, R^3 represents a C_1 - C_6 alkyl group and R^4 represents a cyclohexyl or phenyl group optionally substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of a halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl and C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, or a group



wherein n represents an integer from 2 to 4, p and q independently represent an integer from 1 to 2, Z represents N or CH and R^5 represents a cyclohexyl or phenyl group optionally

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substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of a halogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl and C₁-C₆ alkoxy group.

12. (New) The method according to claim 11, wherein Y represents a group >C=O.

13. (New) The method according to claim 11, wherein R¹ represents a 5- to 7-membered (hetero)cycloalkyl group or a phenyl group.

14. (New) The method according to claim 11, wherein R¹ is located in the 5- or 7-position.

15. (New) The method according to claim 11, wherein R² represents either a C₄-C₁₂ alkyl group, a group (A) in which R⁴ represents a phenyl group and m and R³ are as defined in claim 1, or a group (B) in which n is 2, p is 1, q is 1, Z is N or CH and R⁵ represents a phenyl group.

16. (New) The method according to claim 11, wherein the compound is:

5-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-[1-(phenylmethyl)-4-piperidinyl]ethyl]-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

7-Cycloheptyl-1-[2-[4-(phenylmethyl)-1-piperazinyl]ethyl]-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

5-Cyclohexyl-1-(5-(N-ethyl-N-phenylmethylanino)pentyl)-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

5-Cyclohexyl-1,3-dihydro-1-[2-[1-(phenylmethyl)-4-piperidinyl]ethyl]-2H-indol-2-one;

1-(4-(N-Ethyl-N-phenylmethylanino)butyl)-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

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5-Phenyl-1-[2-[4-(phenylmethyl)-1-piperazinyl]ethyl]-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

7-Cyclopentyl-1-[2-[4-(phenylmethyl)-1-piperazinyl]ethyl]-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

5-(1-Piperidinyl)-1-[2-[4-(phenylmethyl)-1-piperazinyl]ethyl]-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-(4-Bromobutyl)-5-cyclohexyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Nonyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Heptyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Octyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Decyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Undecyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Pentyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Butyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-(2-Methylpropyl)-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Hexyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione;

1-Dodecyl-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione; or

1-(4-Bromobutyl)-7-phenyl-1H-indole-2,3-dione in the form of the free base, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof.